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## An interesting Description of Pasadena.

PASADENA, CALIF., Feb. 13, '90.  
DEAR INTERIOR.—Like Los Angeles, Pasadena was doomed for all it was worth and a good deal more too, and when the inevitable collapse came it was as complete as there. Thousands of people lost all they had, and in many instances more, and most of those who could raise the necessary means to pay their fare back East, left the place sadder but wiser men. Rents and board are not half what they were during the boom. Houses that brought readily \$40 to \$50 per month then are a drag on the market today at \$20, and one can scarcely walk a hundred yards in any direction without seeing placards reading "This house for sale or rent." The depreciation in the value of property and the thousands of many of the owners have caused it to be neglected to a great extent, consequently in many parts of the town weeds are allowed to grow, the fruit trees, not to express homes need trimming, and not a few premises lack that care which is essential to their beauty.

But with all this, Pasadena is a pretty place. The buildings are new and of modern architecture, nearly every avenue is lined with the lovely Pepper and Eucalyptus trees, making some of the finest drives I ever saw. Orange trees blooming and laden with the ripe fruit, surround the residences and flower and semi-tropical plants decorate the lawns. While the town was a great disadvantage in some respects it was not without its advantages. More improvements were made in those three or four years than under ordinary circumstances would have been accomplished in a dozen. Nearly everything in the real estate business. If not a regular dealer, he at least had his own property to sell, and left nothing undone which would beautify it or enhance its value, and so the town was made almost a Paradise which in many respects, large and substantial business houses and hotels were built, most of the denominations erected splendid churches, fine school buildings were put up, and a large public library was erected. A complete water-works system, numerous street car lines, 35 or 40 miles of cement sidewalks, gas and electricity and steam fire engines among the public improvements. A sewerage system which will cost \$20,000, is now being put in. Another railroad from Los Angeles has been completed to the town limits.

Although business of every kind is now very dull, it seems to me that, when Pasadena recovers from its severe shock, it will come to the front again, for this is a pleasant place to live, especially for people from the North and Northeast, who will always come here to spend their winters, rather than endure the intense cold of their native States.

The population is made up almost entirely of New England, New York, Michigan, Illinois and Iowa people. It is almost impossible to find any one from Kentucky or the Southern States. The citizens are quiet and orderly and laws are well enforced. Probation is in effect and it prohibits, too. The sentiment of the community is strongly against the saloon, and although a vote on the proposition is to be taken in about 2 months, it seems to be a foregone conclusion that prohibition will carry again.

The best orange land hereabout is held at \$200 per acre, that is for the naked land. To plant this with the best variety of orange trees the Washington Navel—would cost something over \$100 more per acre, the price of trees being 75 to \$50 each, and four years would have to pass before the crop would pay the yearly interest on the investment. But from that time the yield of oranges would gradually increase till the 7th or 8th year, when the trees would be in full bearing and would yield a yearly average of \$175 to \$200 per acre. Lemons, pears and peaches are grown to some extent, but oranges are considered the best paying crop. They say that almost all other fruits can be profitably raised here, but I notice that hardly any others than those I've named are planted. Vacant lots for residences in the prettiest part of Pasadena are offered at \$30 to \$35 per front foot.

Board with room costs from \$3 to \$8 per week. Fuel is high, soft coal selling at \$11 to \$13 per ton and wood at \$10 per cord. Gasoline and coal oil are largely used for cooking purposes, the cost of these being very little more than in the East.

Weather since I last wrote has been anything but lovely. Thursday and Friday were disagreeably cool and windy, Saturday ditto and cloudy. Rain set in Saturday night and continued almost without cessation until Sunday night, washing the streets and land badly and interfering considerably with railroad travel. All trains are behind. Monday and yesterday were also cool, cloudy and rainy, but there are signs now for better weather. Had a pretty heavy frost last night. It doesn't rain very often in Southern California, but when it does, there's no telling when it is going to let up. I was sorry to see this damp, cool weather. I wasn't expecting such here. It is not calculated to benefit one with

cutthroat. However, it may not rain again before next winter.

Just think I've not had a line from Stanford later than the 31st of January. That was the last time I received a letter, at Bristol, Cal., forwarded from New Orleans. Thinking I would go to San Diego, I had my mail sent there, and I haven't been able so far to have it forwarded to this place. I'm awful anxious to hear from Kentucky.

T. R. WATSON.

## JUNCTION CITY, BOYLE COUNTY.

The negro who was accidentally shot on the train at Parksville by a drummer received only a very slight flesh wound and 50 cents and a cigar.

"Laughing Room Only" is the appropriate motto on the little house used for a jail in this city. It is almost too small for plenty of room to laugh in.

Preparations are being made for the large hotel to be built at Lanesville Springs as soon as spring arrives. The hotel will be a model for a summer resort.

The human family is not rushing to Middleboro of late as a few weeks ago. Perhaps Barboursville, Pineville, Big Stone Gap and Thurman are responsible for this. Capt. T. H. Bell expects to engage in the real estate business at the latter place.

Miss B. Riley passed through here Sunday from Stanford on a visit to her parents at Lenoir. She is a beautiful and accomplished young lady. Miss M. E. Turner, who has been visiting her brother's family at Stanford, returned home Sunday. Miss Maggie Harbison, of Mitchellburg, is visiting Miss Jennie Cosby. J. L. Rose is in Missouri attending the John McCreary, Esq., of Lebanon, were in town last week. Mr. E. B. Lindwick, conductor on the Hodgenville branch of the N. & M. V. R. R., was in town last week. He came up to see a Hodgenville beauty, who is visiting in this vicinity.

## What the Country May Expect.

Gov. McCreary closed his masterly argument against the code of rules, which have been adopted by the republican mob in the House, as follows:

It has been well said that "Whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad." The excesses and the unprecedented rules of the party now in control of the House argue no good for them.

The lobby will soon be clamoring at the door of the Capitol. Corporations and syndicates and rings will soon enter the code of rules is adopted, come and ask their share of the legislation. Reckless appropriations of the public money, unneeded pension legislation, wasteful educational bills, federal election schemes with a horde of salaried officers, a tariff bill that will lighten or remove the taxes on luxuries and increase the taxes on the necessities of life, are some of the inequities that will soon come from the republican Pandora box.

I believe the despotic and revolutionary code of rules, which, before tomorrow's sun goes down, will receive the votes of the republican majority of this House, is the first movement in a grand plan, originated by the republican leaders for the purpose of perpetuating their power and their control of the government, but I do not fear this result. The people, whose servants we are, understand the situation. The cyclone will come next November, and the sovereigns of our country, to whom we take the final appeal, will in my judgment, drive from power the republican majority of the House. [Applause on the democratic side.]

## What Not to Say.

There are several "don'ts" which should be observed whenever two or more women are gathered together, but which, alas! are frequently disregarded. For instance, don't say to a friend, "How stout you are growing." No lady likes to be told she is growing or has grown stout. If it be a fact, she is doubtless well aware of it and anxious to keep others from discovering it. Don't say "How thin you are," either, for both women and men loathe to be told that they are either stout or thin. Unless you can say, "How well you are looking," it is better to make no remark on the personal appearance of your friend. Don't tell a friend who has on a particularly becoming gown or bonnet that she looks ten years younger than in anything you have ever seen her wear. Don't tell her, either, that it is the most becoming thing you have ever seen her wear. This is an impeachment of her taste heretofore, though you have no such thought.

Talk about questions of the day? There is but one question and that is the gospel. It can and will correct everything needing correction. All men at the head of great movements are christian men. During the many years I was in the cabinet I was brought into association with 60 master minds, and all but five of them were christians. My only hope for the world is in bringing the human mind in contact with divine revelation.—Gladstone.

—M. F. Elkin bought of J. C. Bradley a harness gelding for \$150.

## CRAB ORCHARD.

—Washington's birthday passed unnoticed by the patriots of this vicinity.

—George Edwards has another bonneting boy at his house, which makes a pair.

—W. P. Tate has rigged up his "bus in splendid style and now meets both day trains as during the summer season.

—Alex Johnson and West King, two young bucks of African extraction, got into a row over a game of cards at the creek on Tuesday and exchanged several shots at each other. Both have been arrested.

—None of our citizens have as yet applied for license to sell whisky here. But the general supposition is that there will be about three bar-rooms in and around town.

—"Aunt Mandy" Roberts' house on the Seneca road caught fire Tuesday night and with all the outbuildings was completely destroyed. The only occupants were a family of negroes living in the rear part, who barely escaped with their lives. "Aunt Mandy" was at her sister's, below Stanford. Loss \$700 or \$800. Fire supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

—Prof. Shaw and Lanning, of Mr. Vernon, were here Friday to confer with our citizens about removing their Normal School to this place. Their building at Mt. Vernon, they claim, is not sufficiently commodious for their growing patronage and their object is to secure the College building here. A good normal school with every department complete is what we need badly. The trustees held a consultation with Prof. Shaw and Lanning Friday night, but with what results we were unable to learn.

—That genial gentleman, T. B. Carson, of Cincinnati, is in town. J. W. James and wife are back from the South. Mrs. Dr. Blair, receiving news that her mother who lives in Letcher county, was dangerously ill, went thither Monday. James Miller, of Hazel Patch, was here Saturday to see his wife and little daughter. Mrs. J. C. Rhinehart, after a few weeks' sojourn with her mother, has rejoined her husband at Pineville. Mr. G. W. Edwards, Jr., of Indianapolis, Ind., returned home Monday after a pleasant visit to his cousin, George Edwards. Miss Della Edmiston, the pretty brunette of Greentield, Ill., who visited Misses Lida and Mary Edmiston last month, will be married this week to a popular young gentleman of Greentield.

—Mrs. Mollie, wife of James L. Yantis, died of childbirth at her home near here, Thursday night. She was the youngest daughter of the late George W. King, Esq., and in the flush of young and maidenhood was married to Mr. Yantis five years ago. Your scribe was among the spectators who witnessed the nuptials. A devoted wife and kind mother and an earnest christian woman, she leaves a void that will never be filled. After funeral services at the home her remains were deposited in the family lot at the cemetery. A procession, the longest we have ever seen here, attended to the solemn in which she was held. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of the community.

About 9:30 Tuesday night an alarm of fire was sounded from the Harris House and soon a score or more of citizens were rushing thither at a double quick speed. Mr. Clement B. Johnson, a drummer, who occupied a room on the second floor, had it seems, gone out to see his girl and left a big fire burning in the stove. He told the porter he would be back about 10 o'clock and to go up to his room and replenish the fire before then. Between 9 and 10 the porter entered the room and found it full of smoke and immediately gave the alarm. Investigation showed that the carpeting and floor around the stove had caught fire and but for the timely arrival of the porter must have proved destructive to the building. Some years ago a portion of the hotel was destroyed by a similar accident.

—After days of intense suffering occasioned by mental derangement, Dr. E. T. Stevenson passed away at 3 o'clock Saturday morning. He was a graduate of the Louisville Medical College and up to 3 or 4 years ago was one of the foremost physicians in the county and had a large and lucrative practice, but at that time, owing to the use of which he was unfortunately addicted, began to undermine his constitution. He was sent to the asylum at Lexington, where he remained until a few months since, when he was brought home by his parents, apparently improved in mind though sadly wasted in limb and features. He would talk with his friends and occasionally wander out upon the street. He never gained absolute mastery of himself, but gradually grew worse until death relieved him. Kind, courteous and elegant in his tastes he was universally popular as a man and as a physician his merit was attested by his being a member of the Kentucky Medical Association. His remains were taken to Stanford for interment Sunday. To the family go out the sympathy of all here,

## MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—M. B. Mortor, city editor of the Nashville American, will be married next Wednesday to Miss Emma Collier, sister of Mr. J. R. Collier, of the Franklin Favorite.

—Mrs. Mollie Corbin, of Shelbyville, Ind., is probably the most married female in the East or West, so far as is known. She was divorced from her 8th husband at the last term of court and last week took a section foreman on the Jeffersonville, Madison & Indianapolis railroad as her 9th victim.

—The Harrodsburg Democrat says the fellow who first kisses the bride after the ceremony "deserves a chromo from the less adventurous gentlemen who follow him." But who wants to kiss a bride after several masculine months have come into contact with hers? It is almost as bad as kissing a "mawsty" man direct.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, in the parlors of the Louisville Hotel, Miss Mary Jones, of this place, and Mr. O. B. Riley, a prominent young attorney of Pineville, will be made husband and wife. Only a few special friends will be present and after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Riley will take a bridal tour of several weeks, including Washington, Richmond and a number of other Eastern cities. Miss Jones is an accomplished young lady, with a decided business turn of mind, and will make a true and helpful helpmeet for the lucky young man who, besides winning his fair bride, has made a snug little fortune in Middleboro and Pineville speculations.

## DEATHS' DOINGS.

—Mrs. Belle Linney, wife of E. B. Linney, died at Danville. She was 35 years old and leaves five children.

—Mrs. James L. Yantis died Friday last of paralysis of the heart, superinduced by pneumonia and remittent fever, at her home near Crab Orchard. She had been ill for over two weeks, during which time she bore her intense sufferings with the fortitude of a true christian woman, as she was. Mrs. Yantis was Miss Mollie King and before her marriage frequently visited this place, where she had a large circle of friends. About three years ago she was married to James L. Yantis, who is now bowed down with grief over the loss of a true and loving wife, and who has the sympathy and consolation of many in this and adjoining counties. Early in life Mrs. Yantis joined the Christian church and has since been a devoted member. She leaves a two-year-old son, who will greatly feel the want of a mother's tender care. The funeral, conducted by Elder J. P. Frank, took place at her late home at 10 o'clock Saturday, after which many loving friends followed the remains to their last resting place in Crab Orchard cemetery.

## FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—See notice of Reynolds & Wilson, of Bee Lick, for sale of jack.

—J. C. Fox bought in the East End 11 cotton mules at \$2 to \$70.

—W. T. Smith bought of a Rockcastle party a young mare for \$125.

—B. G. Pennington bought of William Perkins a pair of work mules for \$275.

—James Pepples bought of Nick Perkins a pair of extra good horse mules for \$275.

—L. K. Wells bought of various parties a lot of 2 and 3-year-old cattle at 2 cents.

—J. K. Baughman bought a brown stallion by Voltair at the Woodland sale for \$75.

—R. H. Crow bought Storm Queen, by Hail Storm, 6 years old, at the Lexington sales, for \$975.

—An English syndicate is negotiating for the Chicago stock yards and will likely get them at \$30,000,000.

—Ras Bainbridge, of Owen county, has 10 ewes that gave birth to 21 lambs—nine pairs of twins and triplets.

—W. H. Crossfield sold to T. B. Berry, of Danville, 14 long-yearling mules 14 bands, at \$75.—Anderson News.

—May Overton, of the Hermitage Stud, Nashville, Tenn., has refused \$25,000 for Bow Bells, brother to Bell Boy.

—The average of the 46 head of trotters sold at Lexington Thursday was \$3,025, King, son of George Wilkes, being \$31,000.

—W. M. Hughes, of Danville, sold to R. M. Jackson, London, a 5-year-old Messenger Chief stallion for \$125.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—The wheat is said to have been badly damaged in the Ohio Valley by the cold wave, while the peach and other small fruits have suffered severely.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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County Attorney, JOSEPH B. PAXTON;  
County Clerk, GEORGE B. COOPER;  
Shoof, J. N. MENEFEE;  
Jailer, SAMUEL M. OWENS;  
Assessor, E. D. KENNEDY;  
Sup't of Common Schools, W. F. McCLARY;  
Surveyor, HARRY A. EVANS;  
Coroner, ARCH CARSON.

Mr. WATKINS tells a Milwaukee reporter that unless Mr. Cleveland goes to the convention backed by the solid vote of New York, it would be suicide for the democrats to nominate him and says, "Under no circumstances can Mr. Hill be nominated. I know him personally and respect him, but do not believe that he can ever be president. He probably can, and possibly will, defeat Cleveland for the nomination, but he cannot secure it for himself." Mr. Watkinson does not seem to have much love for Mr. Cleveland, though he says he has nothing against him. From the interview one would obtain the impression that the great journalist is for Gov. Alibetti, of New Jersey, whom he describes as every inch a man and every ounce a democrat. The politicians may not be for Mr. Cleveland, but the people are for him first, last and all the time, and if he is nominated, which now seems probable, they will elect him by such a majority as was never known.

The story is sent out from Pikeville by a Cincinnati Commercial Gazette correspondent that the Hatfields had bribed the jail cook with \$200 to put strychnine in the food prepared for the guards. She weakened, however, after trying the drug on the cat with fatal results and failed to fulfill her part of the agreement. The understanding was that she was to inform them when the men got sick and then they would raid the jail and rescue the condemned man. The Hatfields are very desperate individuals, but it is more than likely that this story is a weak invention of a sensation fiend, who delights in serving up something red-hot from the dark and bloody ground for the benefit of his Northern readers.

PRESIDENT HARRISON has adopted an unusual means of revenge by appointing negro postmasters at the homes of Southern Congressmen. He has sought to "humiliate" several in this way, the last being Representative Crisp, of Georgia, the man who fought Reed and his mob so persistently in their determination to ride rough-shod over the minority in Congress. If Mr. Harrison really wants to show his fondness for the negro why does he not appoint one postmaster in the North, where they made his election possible and where brotherly love is supposed to predominate? No, as he said himself, "I should dislike very much to see a negro post-master at Indianapolis."

Gov. BORGES will be inaugurated governor of Iowa next Thursday and the democrats propose to make the event one long to be remembered. He will be the first democrat to occupy the gubernatorial mansion in 40 years. Visitors will also be treated with the rare sight of a democratic speaker presiding over the lower House of the Legislature, a curiosity indeed since it is almost past recollection since a member of that party was similarly honored. But Iowa has fallen into the democratic line and is distinguishing herself in this year of our Lord. The tariff agitation did it.

The Mayfield Monitor says that the gentlemen who signed Wm. Henry's name had for \$300,000 are listed with over \$700,000 of property. The people of his section are very proud of his appointment as State treasurer. The paper adds that he has many round business sense, as honest as ever a man was and he will fill the position in an acceptable manner as any man in the State. The finances of the Commonwealth will be safe in his hands, and he will come out of the office with the good will and respect of all with whom he may have dealings.

If the legislature is anxious to investigate somebody, who seems to need investigation, we cite them to Judge W. F. Russell of the 18th Judicial District, Commonwealth's Attorney Shuck makes numerous serious charges against him, which if even half true, would indicate that it is time for the judge to go. Let his conduct of office be investigated by all means. The people demand it and the judge deserves to be vindicated, if he is not in league with criminals as Mr. Shuck would indicate.

The craze for running around the world to break the record of exploits in that direction, is on and many attempts are to be made. The citizens of Port Townsend, Washington, have subscribed \$3,000 to send Miss Regina Rothchild around upon her guarantee that she will make the trip in 69 days. It is also said that George Francis Train will attempt to break the record, but if he breaks his neck instead of the people will rejoice over the fact that one less crank has gone to his reward.

We were a spectator of the proceedings of the legislature during the consideration of the question of extending the session beyond the constitutional limit of 60 days, which would expire on the 27th. The House put through an indefinite extension resolution in short order, though several members who love to hear themselves talk, persisted in explaining their votes. The call of the ayes and nays showed 71 for extension to 28 against it, the latter being record makers who wished to pull the wool over their credulous constituents. The resolution was immediately reported to the Senate, which was also considering the question and that body after several hours spent in filibustering concurred in it 29 to 3, all of which means that the boys have determined to hold on to their per diem till May or longer if possible. It was absolutely necessary that the session should be extended, as nothing of general importance has been done, but the solons ought to buckle down to business now and get home at least by corn planting time.

JOHN JACOB ASTOR, the richest man in America, has gone the way of all flesh. He was 57 years old and left a fortune estimated all the way from \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000, which goes to his only son, William Waldorf Astor. This immense fortune was founded by John Jacob Astor the first, who came to America in 1784, with no other worldly possessions but six flutes and two other musical instruments. He died in 1850 with \$20,000,000.

As exchange remarks that Prof. Loissette's memory system is creating greater interest than ever. It is a wonderful system, as it makes one fail to remember the things that he does not wish to. For instance, those here who paid their good money for the snap have entirely forgotten, leastwise they never mention it, that they bit at the dining hall.

## LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

A bill to incorporate the Bank of Stanford is before the House.

The Senate has passed a bill reducing the State tax from 47 1/2 to 42 1/2.

The prohibition question is to be resubmitted in Hardin, after a trial of four years.

Senator Breckinridge had passed an act to incorporate the Cincinnati & Kentucky Southern railroad company.

Gov. Buckner has signed the Cigarette bill and now no child of 18 or under can buy the little pests without subjecting the seller to severe penalty.

Bills for the benefit of the Rush Branch Turnpike road Company and for board of internal improvement for Lincoln county have been presented by Mr. Warren.

The bill to incorporate the Cumberland railroad company, presented by Mr. Warren, passed the House, after some slight amendments as a compromise with the one sent from Adair.

Gov. Bryan has put the question so often that he has gotten so he can say this faster than you can think, and here's about the way he does it:

"Senators all in favor of the resolution say so those opposed will stand up."

Hon. R. C. Warren is preparing a big speech against the unconstitutional methods which are being endeavored to be used in calling a constitutional convention. He says that the people have not said by the majority required that they want the convention and that they would have said so at the polls had they so desired. In the latter statement he is borne out by the vote when the convention was called 40 years ago. In 1847 the number of qualified voters reported by the auditor was 126,445, of whom 92,629 voted for the convention. In 1848 the qualified voters numbered 130,672 and 101,828 voted for the constitutional convention, which was accordingly called in 1850. Mr. Warren is for a constitutional convention, but he is opposed to unconstitutional methods for calling it.

## NEWS CONDENSED.

Indiana's double-headed baby, which was born last June, died in a museum at Buffalo.

Col. John Mason Brown leaves his entire estate, estimated at \$100,000, to his wife.

It is sent out that the retiring treasurer of Mississippi is \$250,000 short in his accounts.

By the explosion of a boiler at Butler Glen, Va., three men were killed and six wounded.

Rufus Gunn failed to go off the railroad track near Mannington and was run down by an engine.

Three murderers paid the death penalty in Pennsylvania, Thursday, and five others were sentenced to die.

The Interstate Commission has decided that the reduction in rates given by railroads to theatrical companies is illegal. This will have a tendency to lessen the number of barn storms now on the road.

The large dam, built across the Hualapai river, in Arizona, by the Walnut Grove Storage Company, at a cost of \$300,000 gave way under pressure from a flood, and swept everything before it. Forty persons are thought to have perished.

Mr. Dolph's bill, which will be favorably reported, providing for defenses on the Pacific coast, carries an appropriation of \$123,000,000, of which \$21,500,000 will be available in the year ending June 30, 1891; \$9,000,000 for 11 years thereafter and \$2,500,000 in the year 1902-3.

Lightning killed a young man who was walking with his sweetheart at Jackson, O., and did not harm the girl.

The president has sent the name of E. E. Watkins to the Senate for confirmation as post-master at Williamsburg.

Gov. McCreary has obtained the consent of the War Department for the railroad to bridge the Kentucky river at Irvine.

The Maryland legislature has passed a bill to re-district the State for Congressional purposes. It makes five districts democratic.

The female cranks are a force of a trial at Spickardville, Mo., were let off with a fine of \$5 each for demolishing the saloons.

J. T. Thompson, the young L. & N. freight brakeman who was hurt at Belmont last week, died Friday. He was from Bardonia.

The purchase money, said to be over \$1,400,000, for the Jung and Crescent breweries at Cincinnati was paid and they are now in English hands.

The Durham tobacco factory at Richmond, Va., caught fire Saturday night, destroying it, Cameron & Co., and Cameron & Sizer's factories; loss \$220,000.

The supreme court refuses to interfere in the case of Tom O'Brien and unless the governor interferes he will leave at Lexington next Thursday for the murder of his wife.

Three of the negroes engaged in the Navassa Island riot were sentenced to death at Baltimore and 14 others given sentences in the penitentiary ranging from 2 to 10 years.

A spring gun set in his barn at Spring Hill, Mo., for burglars, killed the two month's bride of George Dowell, who opened the door without knowing of the arrangement.

The first woman in the United States to become the president of a railroad is Mrs. Charles D. Haines, who has just been elected president of the Minden Valley Railroad Company in Texas.

Fred A. Walton, the agent of the Pacific Express Company at Dallas, Tex., who stole \$35,000 from the company, has been arrested at St. Johns, N. B. He had \$7,000 of the money in his pocket. His offense is not extraditable.

The dead-lock in the Iowa legislature having been broken the vote for governor was jointly canvassed, showing that Boies, democrat, was elected by 6,561 majority. The republican lieutenant governor's majority is 1,682.

The Panhandle and Pennsylvania roads west of Pittsburgh have consolidated under the name of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & Chicago. An issue of \$180,000,000 in stocks and bonds will be made. There are 1,051 miles in the system.

A stenographer and type-writer loss been placed on each of the Pennsylvania limited trains between Chicago and New York. He will take the dictation of passengers free of charge, transcribe the same and mail letters or dispatch telegrams from the train.

A Kentucky vacker advanced a Cincinnati banker man \$95 on a \$1,000 check to pay a freight bill. After the transaction the man slipped out and did not return. It then dawned on the old fool that he had been worked, but it was too late, his money was gone.

News comes via San Francisco of the destruction of more than 1,300 Japanese fishing boats with all their crews, off the coast of Japan, during a January storm. Hundreds of bodies have been cast ashore by the waves and whole villages are in mourning for their dead.

The Kenesee, Standard, Jellico Mountain, Proctor and East Tennessee mines have consolidated under the name of the Southern Jellico Coal Co., and it will build a railroad 5 miles long to Jellico in order to be independent of the East Tennessee, which it claims, tried to freeze the mines out last summer.

Senator Ingalls, by request, introduced a bill to amend the interest law by providing that any person attempting to swindle, extort or defraud a State or Territory that forbids the sale of it shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and that any railroad company that transports the same shall be fined \$100 for each offense.

A Maryland merchant who had had his till recently tapped fixed a double barrel gun to it the other night so that it would go off when the drawer was touched. A burglar entered as usual that night, the gun was discharged and the burglar filled with shot. He made his escape, but was traced by the blood and found to be Shelby Ford, the son of a farmer of good repute.

The vicinity of San Francisco is suffering from rain storms. Two inches fell Friday. The season's total rainfall to date now nearly equals that of the famous season of 1872, the year of Sacramento's flood. The records show that 39 inches of rain fell there that season to the present date. The same record for this season gives a total of 37, or only two inches less than the 1872 season.

Emma Wiles, a sable damsel from Nicholasville, fell in love with a Paulville hack driver while visiting the latter place. Love ran smoothly for awhile, but the usual quarrel came, and when the gallant hack driver swore he would visit the girl no more, her tender heart could not withstand this cruel announcement, so she went off and drank a cup of cold poison. The doctors tried to pump it out of her, but the love-lorn creature refused to disgorge and was soon in that happy clime where hack drivers cease from troubling and the weary lover is at rest.

## "WORTH READING."

Every word of this advertisement is worth a careful perusal, for this coming week we will inaugurate one of

## The Greatest Opening Spring Sales

Ever placed on record. But simple assertions are of little value unless backed by positive proof. Those who have dealt with us know that what we offer for sale is always at the lowest prices that the same quality of goods can be bought for. Ten columns of this paper could not enumerate the many attractions we have to offer; but if you will read a few of the items below and then come and see you will understand at once why it is that

## The Louisville Store Prices are Hard to Beat.

Dress Goods! Dress Goods!! Just opened, superior all wool Henrietta Cloths in all the leading Spring shades, which will be sold at 50c per yard. Handsome Novelty Embroidered Robes \$6 a pattern. We also opened three cases of Sat. cons. which will be sold at 10c, 15c, 20c and very best French Satens at 25c per yard. Just received five cases of Spring Clothing in black and fancies, which was bought at 50c on the dollar and will be sold same way. All Winter Goods, such as Blankets, Comforts, Flannels, Jeans, Over coats, Cloaks, Boots, &c., will be sold regardless of cost.

## THE LOUISVILLE STORE

Main Street, Stanford,

M. SALINGER, MANAGER.

—Attorney Smith, of Frankfort, Ind., has been given two years in the penitentiary for subornation of perjury.

—The corpses of 14 infants were found by firemen in a burning house at Warsaw, England. The establishment was presided over by a mid-wife named Skolenska.

—Reynolds, rep., was elected to succeed Judge Kelley in the 4th Pennsylvania district by 1,200 majority less than Kelley's last and 2,000 votes behind the municipal republican ticket. His opponent, Mr. Ayres, was an outspoken tariff reformer, and the same gentleman who ran against Judge Kelley at the last election.

Taxation in itself is never a blessing, it is always a burden. So long as taxation is limited to the necessities of the government economically administered, the people are willing to bear the burden; but when a tribute is levied upon them beyond that, they have cause for complaint.

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A permanent investment for a few years, with ample security. Inquire at this office. 4-1-1

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Lot on Main Street in Stanford.

Containing 1 1/2 acres.

5 1/2 Acres of Land,

On Crab Orchard pike.

Columbus Buggy, nearly new, and several Chairs—2 Rockers.

If the land is not sold it will be for rent. For further information apply to W. P. or E. C. Walton, Stanford.

T. R. WALTON.

Sale of Land and Personal Property.

Having determined to go to Middleborough, I will offer for sale at public auction on

Saturday, March 1st, 1890,

On the premises in the Lancaster pike, 2 1/2 miles from Stanford and 3 1/2 miles from Lancaster,

107 Acres of good Blue-Grass Land, well improved, 30 acres can go in corn, 37 in oats and remainder in grass. The dwelling and out houses are good.

Also 3 Horses, 2 Cows, 2 Calves, 40 Hogs, 150 barrels of Corn, Clover, Hay, a new M. McCormick Binder, new Wood Sulkey Rake and Mower, new Empire Wheel Drill, Buggy and Harness, Household and Kitchen Furniture, &c.

If the farm is not sold it will be rented. Terms made known on day of sale.

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## Light, Medium and Heavy Undearwear,

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In bows, four in hands and Scarfs at

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